GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

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LOAN TO SCS/STS FOR NSCST FINANCE AND DEVELOPMENT CORPN.
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes beneficiaries who have beensanctioned loans from National Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation during the year 2001 till date;

(b) whether a number of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes persons were refused loans; and

(c) if so, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) National SC and S T Finance and Development Corporation had sanctioned Rs. 15493.58 lakhs as loan to 45296 SC and 7565 ST beneficiaries during 2000- 2001 and Rs. 6199.43 lakhs as loan to 12838 SC and 188 ST beneficiaries during2001-2002 (upto 31-10-2001). Following bifurcation of the old Corporation into two Corporations, National Scheduled Tribes Finance and Development Corporation has also sanctioned Rs. 1847.08 lakhs to 1113 ST beneficiaries during 2001-2002 in addition. (up to October 2001).

(b) & (c) The National Corporations provide loan to the SC/ST beneficiaries through theState Channelising Agencies (SCAs) nominated by respective State/UTs. The loan is disbursed to eligible SC and ST beneficiaries as per guidelines by the SCAs. Details on sanction and/or rejection of individual cases are dealt and maintained by the SCAs concerned.